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## NORTH CAROLINA EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT (ED) VISITS FOR OPIOID OVERDOSE: DECEMBER 2020

Visits

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**Opioid Overdose** 

300

150

## 658 Opioid overdose ED visits December 2020\*

Compared to 579 December 2019

Data Source: NC DETECT: ED; Custom Event: Overdose:

**Note:** Counts based on ICD-10-CM diagnosis code of an opioid overdose: **T40.0** (Opium), **T40.1** (Heroin), **T40.2** (Other Opioids), **T40.3** (Methadone), **T40.4** (Other Synthetic Narcotics), and **T40.6** (Other and Unspecified Narcotics).

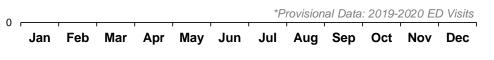
#### Opioid Overdose ED Visits by Year: 2011-2020\*

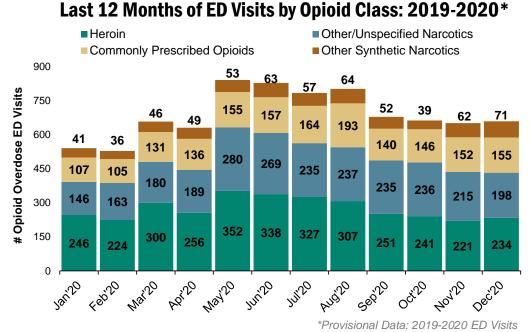


Percent change: YTD total compared to YTD total of previous year;

\* Provisional Data: 2019-2020 ED Visits

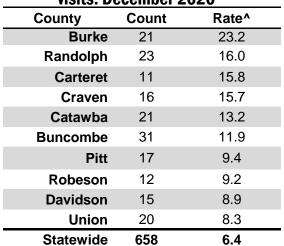
# Opioid Overdose ED Visits by Month: 2019-2020\* 2019 — 2020\* 750 600 450

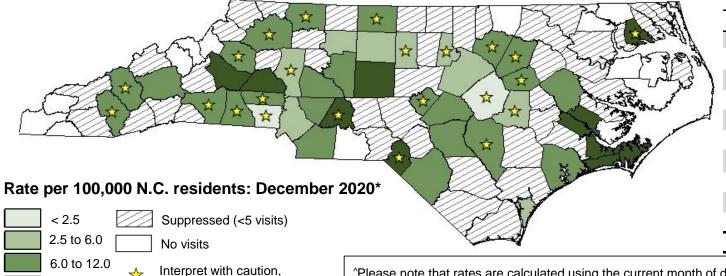




### **Monthly Opioid Overdose ED Visits Rate: December 2020\***

#### **Highest Monthly Rates of Opioid Overdose ED visits among Counties ≥10** visits: December 2020\*





Please note that rates are calculated using the current month of data. Counties listed in "Highest Monthly Rates" of Opioid Overdose ED visits" table will likely change each month.

Therefore, the top 10 counties this month cannot be generalized as the top 10 counties for the year.

#### **Demographics of Opioid Overdose ED Visits Compared to Overall NC Population Estimates**

#### **ED Visits by Age Group ED Visits by Race/Ethnicity ED Visits by Insurance Coverage** ■NC Population Estimates ■NC Population Estimates ■ NC Population Estimates ■NC opioid overdose ED visits, Dec 2020\* ■NC opioid overdose ED visits, Dec 2020\* ■NC opioid overdose ED visits, Dec 2020\* 20% 40% 60% 80% 20% 40% 20% 40% 60% 80% Self-pay/ White NH Uninsured Black NH Medicare Hispanic Medicaid Asian NH **Note:** NH (Non-hispanic): Private insurance AI/AN NH AI/AN (American Indian/ Alaskan Native)

Data Sources: ED Data-NC DETECT is North Carolina's statewide syndromic surveillance system. ED visit data from NCDETECT are provisional and should not be considered final. For training on NCDETECT, contact Amy Ising@ad.unc.edu; Population Data-U.S. Census Bureau, http://guickfacts.census.gov: Insurance coverage Data-Kaiser Family Foundation estimates based on the Census Bureau's American Community Survey, 2008-2018, www.kff.org/other/state-indicator/total-population.

Note: Self-pay ED visits are compared to the uninsured overall population estimate category.

low numbers (5 to 9 visits)

60% 80%

\*Provisional Data: 2019-2020 ED Visits



≥ 12.0

\*Provisional Data: 2020 FD Visits